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GOV. BECKHAM HERE FROM OLD ALGIERS

The Largest Crowd Ever in Paducah is Here This Afternoon.

Reception Tendered the Governor Was Largely Attended—Parade This Afternoon.

PROGRAM FOR THIS EVENING

Paducah is today, for the first time in her history, entertaining the governor of Kentucky. This morning at 8:45 o'clock Governor Beckham and the following gentlemen arrived from Frankfort over the Illinois Central on a private car: Auditor Gus Coulter, Colonel John Walters, Adjutant Percy Haley, Colonel Ed O. Leigh, Mr. Harry G. Tandy, Mr. Tom Hall and Acting Superintendent H. R. Dill of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central.

The governor's private car was set off at the union station, and afterwards taken to Eleventh and Broadway, where it now is.

At 7:30 o'clock Mayor Yeiser, the Hacudaps, Dean's band, the Elks reception committee and others went to the coach and Governor Beckham was officially welcomed to the city by Mayor Yeiser. Introductions followed, and the crowd proceeded to the Palmer House, marching down Jefferson to Fourth, up Fourth to Broadway and up Broadway to the ladies' entrance to the Palmer.

In addition to the Elks reception committee, President W. F. Paxton of the Commercial club and several private citizens were in the crowd.

Governor Beckham and Mayor Yeiser rode side by side in the handsome rig that won the first prize at the flower parade. It was furnished for the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Tally.

All along the line of march the procession, led by Dean's band, was tendered an ovation. There were cheers, waving of handkerchiefs and salutes. The Knights of Hacudap, under Captain J. V. Voris and Lieutenant Ed Mumford, made a splendid appearance, and added to the attractiveness of the display. The governor acknowledged the salutes by a constant bowing and lifting of his hat. A great many people had never seen a governor of Kentucky, and many lined the streets in several places.

At the Palmer house the party left the carriages and had breakfast at 8:30 o'clock. After breakfast the governor and his party held an informal reception in Hon. Charles Keed's private apartments at the hotel, and met many friends there.

Governor Beckham was much pleased with his reception, and warmly complimented the Knights of Hacudap and their efficient officers, Captain Voris and Lieutenant Mumford, sending for them to express his approval of their work and their excellent discipline and horsemanship. The boys have made such a success, the organization may be maintained permanently.

An amusing incident occurred this morning at the private coach occupied by Governor Beckham and his party.

A well known man about town was introduced to the governor, and in his inimitable but innocent way quietly surveyed the young governor and remarked with comical solemnity:

"So this is Governor Beckham! Well, governor, I'm mighty glad to see you, sure. You're looking better than usual. I guess I'll have to apologize for the way I look myself, governor, but the truth is, I was in damned bad company last night, I'm

One of the Midway Couples Married Today by Judge Lightfoot.

Neither Can Speak English and a "Spieler" Had to Assist in Performing the Ceremony.

WAS A VERY UNUSUAL PROCEEDING

County Judge R. T. Lightfoot enjoys the distinction of having married one of the few couples from Algiers ever united in the state.

The groom was Mr. David Dana, of Tunis, Algiers, and the bride Miss Celeste Costel, of La Genlette, Algiers. The groom is 25 and the bride 21 and it is the first venture of each. Dana is the sleight of hand man with the G. Akoun streets of Cairo show, which is located within the Orient at the jubilee carnival, and his bride is one of the dancers in that show also.

Mr. Nicola Adbelnour, one of the Algerian spiclers, acted as interpreter as neither the bride nor groom can speak English, having been in America only ten months. They went directly to Buffalo to do the Pan-American exposition from their native country and are both star performers in the show.

Judge Lightfoot spoke to the interpreter in performing the ceremony, who translated the words into their language and as the ceremony is different from that in Algiers, being short and to the point, the bride did not like it and could not be convinced that she was married. They were given a certificate however and this seemed to satisfy them.

FATAL RUSE

Roxie Crafton Died This Morning in City Hospital.

He Burned His Side With Iodine to Become a Professional Beggar.

Roxie Crafton, aged about 40, a native of Hickman county, who came to the city several days ago and was admitted to the city hospital as an act of humanity, died this morning about 4 o'clock from burns on his right side, inflicted with iodine.

It was claimed that he put on the drug in order to give the flesh the appearance of being horribly burned. Crafton told several stories about his injury, one being that he put iodine on his side for a small pimple and did not know he was putting on too much. The flesh came off and blood poisoning set in.

It is believed he did it in order to become a professional beggar. The remains will be buried in the county graveyard.

THE PISTOL WENT OFF.

Owensboro, Ky., May 16—Forrest Evans, a boy 12 years old, took a pistol to church at Pelleville, where a religious revival was in progress. During the service he put his hand in his pocket and began playing with the trigger, when the pistol went off and shot him in the leg, the ball glancing down and lodging in the leg, symptoms of lockjaw developing.

GOT A LIFE SENTENCE.

Pineville, May 16—The jury in the case of Noah Reynolds for killing William Wright in Letcher county today returned a verdict giving him a life sentence.



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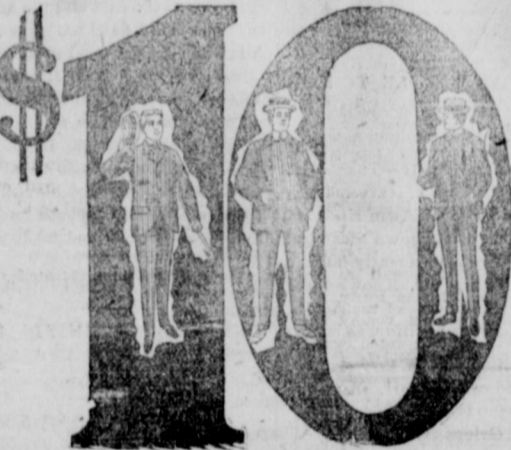
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THE RED CROSS

Seventh International Conference at St Petersburg Began Today.

American Delegates are on Hand to Attend the Important Gathering.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—The Red Cross Society began its seventh international conference in St. Petersburg today and will remain in session through the rest of the month. Nearly every country of the civilized world is officially represented, the American delegates being Rear Admiral W. K. Van Rye, B. F. Tillinghast, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster and Miss Clara Barton.

The Red Cross Society is an organization for the succor of the sick and wounded in war, or sufferers from its devastations. The name was originally applied to a treaty arranged by the Geneva convention in 1864, the members wearing the Geneva cross as a badge of neutrality. A red cross on a white ground was the distinctive flag and arm badge adopted for hospitals, ambulances and personnel, to be accompanied on all occasions by the national flag. Many of the societies are liberally endowed with funds, while others are under the direct patronage of royalty. The American society was founded by Miss Barton in 1875, who further extended the original purpose of the order by giving aid and relief in all great national calamities.

TO STUDY FARMING.

DELEGATION LEAVES AMERICA FOR HUNGARY.

London, May 16.—Under the auspices of the Essex Technical Instruction committee, a party of agriculturalists left London today for a three weeks' tour of inspection in Hungary, the object being to study farming and agricultural organizations in that country. Visits will be made to the Archduke Frederick's dairy farms at Magyar Ovar and to M. Snell's purebred herd of Simmenthal cattle at Ratot. Electricity as applied to farming will be studied at Ikervar. Various agricultural colleges and peasant farms also will be inspected.

A FAILURE.

METROPOLIS MAN DID NOT SUCCEED IN SAWING OUT.

Metropolis, Ill., May 16.—Tuesday evening Mrs. Mizell, wife of Jailor Mizell, detected a sawing noise inside the jail and at once notified Sheriff Evers.

He went up in the jail and found everything quiet and Pete O'Brien, whom he suspected had been attempting to cut his way out, apparently asleep. However he went into the cell, ordered O'Brien out and made a search. Secreted in the cell he found a quantity of wire which had been used in an attempt to saw the steel bars of the cage.

STUDENT CONFERENCE.

NOTABLE MEETING BEGINS AT CAPITOLA, CAL.

Capitola, Cal., May 16.—A notable student conference opened here today under the auspices of the American committee of the Young Woman's Christian Association. Representatives are present from universities, colleges, normal schools, Sunday schools and young people's societies in various parts of California and Oregon. Bible study and missionary effort are to receive particular attention at the conference, the sessions of which are to last ten days.

SLIGHT ATTACK OF BLOOD POISONING.

Mr. Clifford Wilson, the well known undertaker, is suffering from a light attack of blood poisoning on his left hand, received from handling a corpse several days ago. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

MADRID EN FETE

Investiture of the Young King With the Garter.

The Capital is Crowded With Many Visitors —King Takes Oath Tomorrow.

Madrid, May 16.—Madrid is en fete in celebration of the coming of age of Alfonso XIII. Today's link in the chain of festivities was the investiture of the young king with the Garter and other orders. The ceremonies were held at the royal palace in the presence of a brilliant throng of court functionaries, grandees and visiting princes.

All the provinces of Spain have poured their quota of visitors into the capital and the city is crowded as never before in recent years. The strangers include provincial authorities, delegations representing educational and scientific bodies, a host of clergy and thousands of persons who come simply as sightseers. The continuous round of festivities affords ample entertainment for the visitors as well as for the populace of Madrid. Today there was a rehearsal of the various features which are to form parts of the ceremonies tomorrow when the king takes the oath to the constitution in the chamber of deputies. Stands are being erected along the route to be followed by the royal procession to and from the royal palace and the pageant doubtless will be witnessed by thousands. Detachments of military have been concentrated in the capital from all parts of the kingdom and extraordinary precautions are being taken to prevent disorderly disturbances.

CROP OUTLOOK.

GOOD YIELD OF WHEAT, CORN AND OATS IS PREDICTED.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16.—The annual crop report of the Lake Erie and Western railroad shows that the conditions along the line are favorable for a good crop of wheat, corn and oats. Fruit is also in good condition, with the exception of peaches, which have suffered from the cold weather. The wheat acreage is about the same as last year in Ohio, and it is expected that the yield will be from 14 to 25 bushels an acre. The oats prospect is also good in Ohio, and in some places it is thought that the acreage will be 50 per cent greater than last year. The corn crop is estimated to be from 15 to 30 per cent heavier than last year. The conditions in Indiana and Illinois are about the same as in Ohio, and the report shows that many farmers have large quantities of corn stored.

MARRIED IN TRIGG.

TWO COUPLES HAVE THE MATRIMONIAL KNOT TIED.

Cadiz, May 16.—Mr. Henry L. Mitchell and Miss Clara Lester, a popular couple living near Wring, were married at the bride's home. Mr. Mitchell is a prominent young farmer. His bride is a daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Lester.

Prof. W. L. Davis of this place and Miss Frances Broadbent were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Broadbent, near Wallonia.

WOMAN HURT.

MISS CODY THROWN FROM HER HORSE AT RUSSELLVILLE.

Miss Lillie Cody, one of the performers in the Buckskin Bill show which left Paducah several days ago, was thrown from her horse yesterday at Russellville during a performance and seriously hurt. Her hip was dislocated and she was otherwise hurt, and the accident caused great excitement.

Supervisor W. C. Waggener of the I. C. and wife of Central City are in the city taking in the carnival.

WOULDN'T WORK.

THE DRUMMER HAD TO PRODUCE THE CORRECT CHANGE OR LEAVE HIS TRUNKS.

Baggage-master William Flowers, of the local I. C. baggage room, has much to contend with, but years of experience have imparted patience and a good knowledge of human nature.

As a general rule baggage can be checked over the telephone but this is something all baggage-men will hesitate to do and Mr. Flowers has done away with the rule altogether.

A game that is sometimes attempted is that of presenting a large bill to pay excess after the baggage has been stored in the car and the train ready to pull out. Several days ago a drummer telephoned from the N. C. depot to have several trunks checked to Murray and when the train arrived the baggage was loaded into the car and the owner presented a \$20 bill to pay the excess. Mr. Flowers informed him that he could not change the bill and the drummer walked into the car and took a seat, thinking that the question had been settled and that the baggage-man had to let the trunks go as they were already in the car and the train ready to pull out.

"Pull those five trunks out of that car," Mr. Flowers ordered, and in a jiffy the baggage had been unloaded. The drummer, seeing how things stood, came out and paid the excess with the exact change, which he had all the time. This is a game often worked on other baggage-men but never with Mr. Flowers.

A BENEFIT.

THEATRICAL PEOPLE TENDER MRS. EDWIN KNOWLES ONE AT NEW YORK.

New York, May 16.—The Bijou theater was the scene this afternoon of a big benefit for Mrs. Edwin Knowles, widow of the well known theatrical manager, who died recently after a protracted illness. Mr. Knowles was one of the founders of the Actors' Fund and during his life was largely identified with this charity. With a remembrance of his charitable work and generosity managers and players freely contributed their services to the benefit and the result was one of the biggest affairs of its kind ever seen in New York.

UP TO US.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL GARDENER HERE TO IMPROVE THE FLOWERS.

Mr. William A. Keller, the I. C. gardener of the Louisville division, arrived in the city this morning and went to work on the local lawns and flower beds. He has worked all along the division and had repaired all the garden property and set nearly all the plants. He says that Paducah has been the prettiest station on the division since the lawns have been built and takes great pride in working here. Mr. Keller will again offer prizes for the best kept flower beds and lawns and it is hoped that the local keeper, Mr. John Lane, will again carry off the first prize as he did last year.

LIFE LONG RESIDENT.

DEATH LAST EVENING OF MISS ANN MARIA HUSBANDS FROM MENINGITIS.

Miss Ann Maria Husbands, aged 62, died last night at 8:30 o'clock at her home at Fourth and Monroe streets from spinal meningitis. Her condition had been hopeless for several days. The deceased was born and reared here, and was a daughter of the late Colonel James B. Husbands, and a sister of Mrs. Q. Q. Quigley, Miss Lizzie Husbands, and of the late Mr. Eugene Husbands.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, Rev. G. W. Briggs officiating, interment at Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Fount Cole and Miss Grace St. John of Clinton are visiting their relative, Mrs. Sam Brinkley, and attending the carnival.

FIELD CONTESTS.

ATHLETES FROM SEVERAL STATES AT ANN ARBOR, MICH.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 16.—Crack high school athletes from various cities and towns of Michigan, Wisconsin, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois are taking part in the fifth annual interscholastic meet, which began on Regent's Field this afternoon under the auspices of the athletic department of the University of Michigan. The meet covers two days, and judging from the number and high standing of the contestants it will be the most successful ever held here.

The afternoon's program was as follows: Trials in track events—100 yard dash; 120 yard high hurdles; 440 yard run; 100 yard dash, second trial heats; 220 yard dash; 220 yard low hurdles; half mile run; 220 yard dash, second trial heats; 220 yard low hurdles, second trial heats.

DRANK ACID.

CHILD DRINKS POISON AND WILL PROBABLY DIE.

Howard Spence, the three year old son of Mr. Tom Spence, a farmer of the Woodville section, drank several swallows of carbolic acid and spilled the remaining contents of the bottle on his arms, chest, and stomach yesterday afternoon.

The acid had been left on a table after use and the child climbed upon a chair and secured the bottle from the table. No one was near when the child got to the acid and the accident was not learned until too late. The child had drunk several swallows and spilled the rest on its clothes. The fluid soaked through to its skin and last night its condition was considered hopeless. Dr. Frank Boyd, of the city, was summoned and did all in his power to relieve and save the child but his efforts will perhaps prove futile. Death is expected momentarily.

KENTUCKIAN HONORED.

MISS HALLIE ERMINIE RIVES ENTERTAINED AT WASHINGTON.

A Washington dispatch gives the details of a dinner given in the presidential suite by Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, to Miss Hallie Erminie Rives, the well known Kentucky writer, at Washington Wednesday night.

Covers were laid for thirty. The menu was an exact reproduction of a colonial dinner given by Washington to his officers after the battle of Yorktown, and was served in costume. The occasion was the first appearance of Miss Rives' new revolutionary novel, "Hearts Courageous," and the replies to toasts were in the characters of the principal actors in the book, Patrick Henry, Jefferson, Phillip Frenau, Lord Fairfax, etc. Among those present were Senator and Mrs. Carmack, Senator Clay, Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks, Senator and Mrs. Martin and Senator Daniel.

TEXAS EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Fort Worth, Texas, May 16.—The state convention of the Epworth League, which began here today, is the largest meeting in point of attendance ever held by the society in Texas. An interesting program has been arranged for the sessions, which are to continue through Sunday. Among the distinguished participants are Bishop Candler of Georgia, Bishop Galloway of Mississippi, President Denny of Vanderbilt University and Bishop Fitzgerald of Tennessee.

RYAN AND DIXON TO MEET.

Ottawa, Ont., May 16.—There promises to be a lively contest before the Ottawa Athletic club tonight, when George Dixon, the ex-champion, and Billy Ryan of Syracuse come together in a twenty-round bout. Both appear to be in good trim as a result of their several weeks' training.

KING'S SON AMONG THE LOST.

Paris, May 16.—The son of Behazin, the king of Dahomey, who was being educated at St. Pierre, Martinique, is among the dead.

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THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



THE MATADOR IS PREPARING TO THRUST. WHERE IS THE BULL?

THE RIVER NEWS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River, 8.3 on the gauge, a fall of 0.5 in last twenty-four hours. Wind, east, a light breeze. Weather, cloudy and warmer. Precipitation last twenty-four hours, a trace. Temperature, 65 degrees. Pell, Observer.

The Pavonia left this morning for Tennessee river for ties.

The Jim T. Duffey, Jr., left this morning for Ohio river for ties.

The Luda came out of the Tennessee river yesterday with a tow of ties.

The Frisbie passed up to Cincinnati yesterday afternoon with a big tow of empty barges.

The Tennessee arrived yesterday afternoon from Tennessee river with an excellent trip.

Steward Sid Prophater, of the steamer City of Memphis, has recovered from his recent illness and resumed his duties on the boat yesterday.

Captain George Woodward, of Memphis, is a passenger on the steamer City of Memphis for Paducah. He will take the steamer Kate Adams, now on the ways here to Memphis.

The big mail steamer Kate Adams of Vicksburg was yesterday afternoon let off the ways, and is coaling today preparatory to leaving. She looks like a new boat, and the owners are well pleased with the work done here.

The new steamer Stacker Lee, being built for the Lee line at Memphis, was launched at Howard's ship yards. The hull is one of strength, graceful lines and carrying capacity, and the cabin will be full length, of beautiful design and well furnished. The Lee will be a fine business boat and a great freight and passenger carrier.

The steamer Bettie Owen will go on the ways Monday for repairs. The rudder was badly damaged in the wind storm several days ago, and has not been working right since. The boat was tossed upon the I. C. tracks at Brookport, and the rudder caught on the rails and was jerked to pieces. She will be on the ways two days only, and no other boat will run in her place.

CARDINAL'S LIFE IN DANGER.

Rome, May 16.—During fetes in honor of Cardinal Bacilieri, archbishop of Verona, an anarchist fired a shot from a rifle at the cardinal as he was watching the fetes from a window in his palace. The bullet broke the window, but the cardinal was unhurt. The would-be assassin was arrested.

WILL PROBABLY RECOVER.

Preston Hill, colored, who was run over at the union depot yesterday about noon and lost his right leg, will probably recover. He is in the city hospital doing as well as could be expected.

CAPITALISTS OF HOPKINSVILLE.

SALE OF THE NORTON COAL LANDS AROUND NORTONVILLE.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May 16.—The sale of the Norton coal lands at Nortonville to a syndicate composed principally of Hopkinsville capitalists has been completed, and work will begin at once upon a complete shaft mine. Engineering corps of the I. C. and L. and N. railroads are at work laying out switches and preparing for other improvements. The report of an expert geologist shows the veins of coal under the entire tract of 2,000 acres to be splendid workable veins of the very best coal.

SHE LOST HER VOICE.

HYSTERICAL KENTUCKY MOUNTAIN WOMAN SCREAMED AT HER HUSBAND.

Middlesboro, Ky., May 16.—Inflamed by her husband over some trivial matter, Mrs. Charles Gifford screamed at the top of her voice, something snapped and she could not speak afterward. This happened two weeks ago.

For a week after that time she could not be heard. Now she can speak in a sort of whisper. Charles Gifford, the woman's husband, was here today after medicine for his wife and told this story. Physicians here are puzzled and know of nothing which might be given to the woman to bring back her voice. The Giffords live on Clear creek, ten miles from here.

WANTS TO LOCATE.

EVANSVILLE CONCERN MAY BE SECURED FOR PADUCAH.

The Metropolis papers report that a big lumber concern of Evansville desires a location in this section of the country, in order to have ready access to its timber lands on the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers.

An effort is being made to induce the concern to go to Metropolis, but Paducah can doubtless secure it if she tries. The name of the firm has not been made public, but it is one that has large contracts to supply the Singer Sewing Machine company with sawed timber for its Cairo plant.

CONTEST IN ORATORY.

Champaign, Ill., May 16.—Much interest is manifested in the annual interscholastic oratorical contest at the University of Illinois this evening. The contestants, all of whom are high school pupils, include the following: Miss Sue W. Moury, Geneseo; Monte H. Sadler, Cairo; Edwin Wilson, Joliet; Ray Fagnus, Peoria; Alfred Botsford, Quincy; Edward A. Lincoln, Kewanee; Miss Ora Truett, Pontiac; Elwood T. Bailey, Kankakee; G. Cleveland Garrison, Centralia, and William Kephart, Atlanta.

POPE GREETS AMERICANS.

PONTIFF PLEASANT WITH THE PROSPECT OF GOV. TAFT'S VISIT.

Rome, May 16.—The pope received Bishop O'Gorman in private audience today, greeting him most cordially and saying that he was extremely glad to see him this time in Rome, not only as a member of the American episcopacy, but also in his capacity with regard to the Taft mission. About the latter the pontiff said he was highly gratified that America had decided to send it. He was anxious to give it the reception it deserves. He recognizes that Archbishop Ireland had rendered a great service both to his country and the Roman church in bringing it about. "The American clergy," he said, "has my warmest praise." Afterward Bishop O'Gorman presented to the pope Mr. and Mrs. Ewart, of Chicago; John Neville, of Chicago; and Rev. George Arcander, of Minneapolis. All were delighted with the audience. Later, Bishop O'Gorman lunched with Ambassador Meyer, among the guests being Prof. Gilman, of Baltimore.

Judge Taft and Judge Smith are expected in Naples on May 31. They will be met there by Bishop O'Gorman. An apartment has been taken for them at the Quirinal hotel here.

STATE BANKS.

THE BOARD ADOPTS THE OLD RULE OF ASSESSING THEM.

Frankfort, Ky., May 16.—The state board of valuation and assessment has adopted its plan of last year of arriving at the valuation, for the purpose of taxation, of the banks of the state. This plan is to take the capital stock of the institutions at par, their surplus and undivided profits, deducting the property assessed by the local assessor. The action was taken by the votes of Secretary of State Hill and Treasurer Hager. Auditor Coulter, as he did last year, voted for an assessment of the stock on an 80 per cent basis.

The secretary of the board was directed to certify the assessment to the various institutions doing business in the state. Under the law the banks not satisfied with their assessment have thirty days in which to ask a reduction. Less than half a dozen institutions asked a reduction under this method of assessment last year.

DISTRICT ENDEAVOR UNION.

Havana, Ill., May 16.—The Peoria District Christian Endeavor Union began its twelfth annual convention here today with a good attendance of delegates and other visitors. Following a rousing welcome demonstration tonight the sessions will continue through tomorrow and Sunday. Every department of Christian Endeavor work has representation on the program. Bible study, missionary work, Christian citizenship, Tenth Legion and quiet hour, and the junior department are to be discussed with special attention to the requirements of their various fields.

GEORGIA'S DISPLAY AT ST. LOUIS.

Atlanta, Ga., May 16.—In response to the call of Chairman William H. Venable, the members of the Georgia commission and advisory board for the St. Louis exposition met today at the capitol to discuss preliminary plans. The meeting showed the desire of the entire commission that a particularly creditable showing be made by the state of Georgia at the exposition, and no time will be lost in taking up the practical arrangements for a suitable display.

MAFEKING CELEBRATION.

London, May 16.—The anniversary of the action on the Malope River, by which the relief of Mafeking was secured, was celebrated in London today. Colonel Rhodes and Prince Alexander of Teck were the chief promoters of the celebration, which consisted of a number of loyal speeches by men of distinction in war and politics.

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AT "THE KENTUCKY."

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Badger, the bank clerk—Mr. James. Gideon Bloodgood, the banker—Andrew Forsythe.

Captain Fairweather, old sea captain—Mr. Harmon.

Paul, his son—Mr. Harmon.

Mark Livingston—Mr. Griggs.

Puffy—Mr. Florence.

Dan, his son—Miss Stockton.

Edwards, The Sheriff—Mr. Seaton.

Mrs. Fairweather—Miss Field.

Lucy, her daughter—Miss Wayne.

Jennie Jones—Miss Henry.

Alida Bloodgood—Miss Gale.

The largest crowd of the week attended the initial presentation of "Streets of New York" by the English Stock company at The Kentucky last night. The audience was double that of the two previous nights despite the fact that it looked as if everybody in the city was on the carnival grounds.

The company gave a creditable presentation of the well known comedy-drama, and received much praise. Mr. True S. James as "Badger," has a better opportunity to display his versatility than in "A Savage From Japan," and Miss Franklyn Gale, as "Alida Bloodgood" adds to the laurels she won in the other play. Miss Gale is an unusually clever and attractive woman and her leads could not well be improved on.

Miss Justina Wayne as "Lucy," the widow's daughter, fully came up to the expectation of her friends and admirers and plays the part with great satisfaction and effect.

Miss Louise Henry, as "Jennie Jones" and Miss May Stockton, as "Danny" a bootblack, ably sustain parts that are minor in their nature, but which are what the portrayer makes of them. Both did excellent work, and received many deserved marks of approval.

Mr. Andrew Forsythe as the dishonest banker was splendid, and displayed as great ability as he did in the preceding play. A new and able man in the company is Mr. Walter Harmon, first a member of the La Belle Park Stock company. Mr. Harmon played "Captain Fairweather," an old sea captain, and his son Paul. He did them well. He is a capable man, earnest, easily understood, and clever in his acting. He will greatly strengthen the company.

Mr. Griggs as "Livingston" and Mr. Florence as "Puffy," pleased the audience in their respective roles and Mr. Florence, especially, as he had a part requiring a great deal of character work. Mr. Seaton has a minor part, playing the sheriff and a servant, but he plays them well.

Last evening Miss Wayne made her initial appearance before a Paducah audience as a singer and rendered two pretty songs. Her voice is one of unusual sweetness and cultivation, and greatly pleased the audience.

Messrs. Griggs and Florence and Miss Henry, in their specialties, were good. They spring something new every few nights, and never fail to make a hit. Manager English is very much gratified with the patronage he is getting, especially as it is carnival week, and promises his patrons a first class show in what will be the coolest place in the city during the summer.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION CLOSED.

Henderson, Ky., May 16.—The Episcopal Diocesan convention is over. Officers of the Woman's Auxiliary were elected as follows: President, Mrs. T. U. Dudley; vice president, Mrs. Lewis Morton; recording secretary, Miss Sallie Booth; corresponding secretary, Miss Susette Stewart; treasurer, Miss Fannie Anderson.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American Association—Louisville, 5, St. Paul 2. Columbus 13, Milwaukee 3. Kansas City 2, Toledo 1. Minneapolis-Indianapolis, rains.

National League—Pittsburg 5, Boston 1. Chicago 8, Brooklyn 7. Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 4.

American League—Boston 6, Philadelphia 3. Baltimore 6, Washington 2.

High Novelties In Parasols

Fancy Parasols in Persian effects and solid colors, much the vogue this season.

White silk Parasols, and fancy effects, \$1.00.

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Beautiful black silk Parasols, elaborately trimmed with chiffon ruffles, \$2.98.

Black silk umbrellas with fancy handle and steel rod \$1.00 up to \$3.50.

GLOVES

Fabric Gloves to be worn with the summer gown more than ever before. ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦

Lace Lisle Gloves, white, grey, tan and black, 25c to 50c pair.

Ladies' fine black, white and pearl grey silk Gloves 50c pair.

Black silk Mitts 25c and 50c pair.

Silk Mitts and Gloves, elbow and shoulder length, black and white, either lace effect or plain, 50c and \$1.00 pair.

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Beautiful patterns in Haniton lace and insertion, so much used for trimming underwear, 10c to 25c yard.

Imitation torchon laces and insertions especially for trimming gingham, etc., 5c, 7 1-2c to 25c yard.

Real torchon lace and insertion in pretty patterns 5c up to 65c yard.

Narrow German laces 2c, 3c and 5c yard. By the bolt of 12 yards, 15c up to 45c bolt.

Dainty Val. laces 10c yard and up.

Good quality hamburg and swiss embroideries 5c, 7 1-2c and 10c yard.

Exquisite patterns and extra wide embroidery 15c and 25c yard.

Fancy beadings and embroidery bands 15c and 25c yard.



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Made in Kibo Kid, Brown Kibo Calf, and Box Calf.

Hand-sewed welt, extension edge, low custom heel.

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Spring styles now ready—not a [price too high. Ladies' Slippers or Shoes from \$1 to \$4.

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A TRIBUTE WORTH SOMETHING.

The late President William McKinley had no better friend and admirer anywhere than Senator Mark Hanna. Their devotion to each other was something often noticed, commented on and sometimes misconstrued, but one of the most touching tributes yet paid to the memory of our martyred president was by Senator Hanna at the laying of the cornerstones of the McKinley Memorial Ohio college of Government near Washington, Wednesday.

Senator Hanna said among other things: "This is indeed a very interesting occasion to me. Its associations bring up memories. The laying of this cornerstone, the foundation of this temple of learning, to be built by the public spirited men of my native state, is consecrated to the memory of her dearest son, William McKinley. Pile up your marble and every stone will mark an incident in his life, of his devotion to humanity and his fellow men. Crown it in the glory of its completion and he will look down from on high and bless your noble work. It is indeed a noble work."

"It was to him that we looked for our leader, not only in thought, but in example. His interest in this university was not because of his devotion to all public institutions that contributed to the development of his countrymen. He knew the A B C of that life. He knew the foundation of the principle which was to make his country great and his experiences in public life made him appreciate perhaps more than any other man the value of an institution like this."

"That cornerstone has beneath it a foundation more enduring than granite—it is immortality—and that was the foundation of McKinley's life."

No one knew President McKinley better than Senator Hanna, and such an eulogy is indeed worthy of a place in history.

OUR HONORED GUESTS.

Paducah and the Elks of Paducah today have the honor and pleasure of extending to Governor J. W. C. Beckham of Kentucky and his party, the freedom of the city, and to endeavor to make their brief visit to the Pride of the Purchase a pleasant one. It is very seldom that our governor gets this far down in the state, and a diligent inquiry today failed to reveal any one even among the oldest inhabitants who could recall a time when Paducah was favored with a visit from the governor of the state. Some of those who were previously or subsequently governor of the state have been here, but never a man while he was governor, if the memory of some of our oldest citizens can be trusted.

For this reason, as well as because we are pleased to offer hospitality to the chief executive of the state and his friends we are grateful for the visit, and can assure Governor Beckham that his presence is appreciated,

and that if we fail to make his sojourn among us pleasant, it will not be because we have not tried.

The city is theirs, and when they depart, it is hoped it will be with an irresistible desire to come back again very soon. We do not have carnivals every day, but we shall always have a cordial welcome for the distinguished gentlemen who are now our guests.

The yellow press has stirred some of the ignoramuses up to such an extent that not only those who cannot, but many who can, buy beef are prevented. In New York about one hundred arrests were made as a result of an attack made on several who had purchased meat contrary to the sentiment in the neighborhood. After awhile a man will have to be poor and ignorant to have any privileges at all.

The Democrats will soon have to be looking about for something new to complain of. The "atrocities" in the Philippines have become a chestnut and it is obsolete as campaign material.

The miners in Pennsylvania have decided to strike and it may prove one of the hardest and most formidable in the history of the country.

If the weather is good tomorrow we shall be indebted to the weather clerk for one of the most perfect weeks imaginable.

MME. PATTI'S GOSPEL OF HEALTH.

Great Prima Donna Lays Down Some Reasonable Rules.

The following is printed as the famous prima donna's code: "To be healthy is the natural state, and disease is, in nine cases out of ten, our punishment for some indiscretion or excess."

"Every time we are ill it is part of our remaining youth which we squander. Every recovery, whether from headache or pneumonia, is accomplished by the strenuous effort of vitality, and is therefore a waste of your capital of life."

"Therefore, don't let yourself be ill. The best plan to avoid illness is to live regularly, simply, with a frugality that stupid persons alone will seem painful or eccentric."

"Sleep eight hours in every twenty-four. "Ventilate the rooms in which you work and sleep. Very few people, even among those who think they are well up in modern ideas, have any conception of what ventilation means. Even when my voice was the only thing I had in the world I slept with my windows wide open, summer and winter, and never caught cold in that way."

"Examine seriously into your list of social obligations, have the good sense to recognize that there is neither pleasure nor profit in most of what you regard as essential in that line, and simplify your social life—simplify it all you can."

"Make your home a pleasant place—cheerful, but well within your means. "Drink nothing but water or milk—especially drink lots of water. You can never drink too much of it."

"On the other hand, remember that alcohol is a poison which does untold damage within you; that beer, wine, coffee and tea are poisons, too. Shun all of them as you would diluted vitriol."

IMPRISONMENT NOT UNPLEASANT

German Duelist Who Killed Student Will Not Suffer Much.

The sentence of two and a quarter years' imprisonment in a fortress, which has been passed on the German officer, Lieut. Thleme, who lately shot dead a student of Jena in a duel, is by no means so severe as it looks. "Festungs-arrest" in Germany is a comparatively pleasant affair. The offenders have an agreeable barrack room placed at their disposal, from which they can emerge at stated hours and enjoy a penitential walk about the confines of the fortress, and they may even have a servant to wait upon them.

There are few officers thus "incarcerated" who do not relish the change from the disciplinary rigor of the barrack yard to the delightful promenades afforded them within the precincts of such picturesquely situated fortresses as Konigsstein, on the Elbe, or Ehrenbreitstein, on the Rhine, where they are deprived of almost no privileges save the empty one of wearing their swords. And then, too, says the London Chronicle, in most cases about five-sevenths of their nominal "time" is always remitted them—especially in cases of dueling—when they resume their career in a new garrison.

To accept good advice is but to increase one's own ability.—Goethe.

People who have the least to say invariably talk the most.

AT THE CARNIVAL

Over 9000 People Thronged the Grounds Last Night

All the Attractions Well Patronized and the People in High Good Humor.

TOMORROW THE CLOSE OF THE SHOW

Governor's Day at the carnival is going to prove the biggest in the history of Paducah celebrations. The crowds have been coming all day long from all directions. Every boat and every train brought them by the hundred, and there will be others in this afternoon.

Last evening the paid admissions to the carnival were about 9,000, the largest of any evening since the Elks began giving carnivals. In the afternoon there were also large crowds, and until after midnight the grounds were thronged with merry-makers. The jam was in some places great, but fortunately everybody has been in high good humor and there has been no trouble of any kind. All the midway attractions drew large crowds all day yesterday, and are having them again today.

FROM DOWN THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

All trains from down the I. C. brought people by the coach load this morning. Hundreds came from Mayfield, Fulton and other stations, and before 10 o'clock Broadway was a shifting scene of gaiety.

MANY FROM ABOVE.

The trains from Central City, Princeton, Kuttawa and other cities up the road poured their loads of humanity into the city at a lively rate this forenoon, all intent on having a good time. The Illinois Central has had all the people it could handle, and did it in its usual prompt and clever manner.

BY BOAT.

The various boats that arrived today carried about all the people they could hold. From Smithland there was an immense crowd, and the Smithland band, of which Mr. George P. Rogers, a member of Paducah lodge of Elks, is a member came with the people, and gave several delightful concerts in the city.

NO SCHOOLS TODAY.

Yesterday afternoon the public schools were dismissed until Monday and the pupils are accordingly enjoying a holiday. They are at the carnival by the hundred, and are all having a good time.

Yesterday afternoon the children of the Home of the Friendless were taken all over the grounds free by Director General Lagomarsino.

JOKE AT COUNTRY STORE.

Last night there was an amusing incident at the country store. Two young ladies had jackets they did not desire to carry around and their escorts asked permission to leave them at the country store until they returned. The jackets, one tan and one blue, were placed on the shelf, and some of the clerks in the store, thinking they were prizes, gave them out to customers who held the numbers near which the jackets were left. This morning one of the jackets was found and returned to its owner, it having been drawn by Mrs. Holland of the Eley Dry Goods company, the other one will doubtless also be recovered, as the person getting it will give it up without protest when the facts become known.

SPIELERS' GOOD WORK.

The spiliers at the carnival are doing good work, and some of them are as good as the shows themselves. They have been both original and energetic and have won the applause of everybody. The ticket takers are also faithful and in fact the Elks deserve success for the way they have worked, many sacrificing their business and pleasure to work for the suc-

ANIMAL GOT BAD.

Last night Brutus, one of the trained lions, became angry in the Bostock animal show and Princess De La Warr had to fire blank cartridges to frighten him off. The powerful animal struck her once, but fortunately it glanced in such a way as to leave her uninjured.

The animal was finally quieted but during his antics he created considerable excitement in the tent, reminding those present of the last year when the lion got out and created a panic.

THE MIDWAY.

Large attendance on midway last night. Every form of amusement that could have originated in the minds of those who are here to please the people was adopted last night. All the shows did a rushing business, it being hardly necessary for the spiliers to stand in front of the booths to draw the crowds and capture the coin of the sightseers.

From the very first show on the midway to the ones at the end, there was lots doing and the people did it well. The first attraction to greet the eye, and in fact the ear of the crowd, was that of Chiquita, the doll lady. Immense congregations passed in and out of the booth for the entire evening, admiring the queenly grace and beauty of the little woman.

The animal show with its collection of untamable, and trained wild beasts did the largest business of any of the shows. There was a great deal of excitement while Princess De La Warr was giving her last show with the group of nine lions, Brutus, the largest and most ferocious of her pets,



refused to do his turn and when the Princess insisted on his climbing the ladder and doing the tight rope act he turned on her and had she not been prompt in using the pistol Colonel Ferari would have been short one performer. Jealousy is said to be the cause of the beast's ugly demeanor last night. A rush was made for the door when the lion made his charge on the little lady but quiet was soon regained and the performance continued. The collection as a whole contains many fine beasts and the excellent way in which the performers were onto their job, attracted many, and the roars of the beasts, blended with the applause of the visitors in an agreeable manner.

The Streets of Cairo, with the usual string of amusements, did not fail to draw lots of people, and the work of the Egyptian fencers was much better than anything The Sun man had seen in that line. Of course the street carries three of the famous dancers of the Oriental fantastic—it would be incomplete without the spicy exhibition of the famous hoochee-coochee. The dance is well worth seeing.

Every night this week the show has been patronized by the best people in the city and lots of the society set have admired the contortions of the fair Fatima, as she shakes herself to the strains of the Egyptian bagpipe.

The vitascope, one of Edison's most wonderful inventions, was the recipient of many a dime. The pictures are good and are on timely subjects. One of the most amusing is a representation of Mrs. Carrie Nation doing stunts in a Kansas barroom with the invincible hatchet. Another is a magnificent series of pictures of the funeral services and procession of the late President McKinley. From a standpoint of education this show is the best on the midway, as it shows what science has done toward the conquest of nature. Standing in front of the sheet and almost

hearing the dead president as he makes his last speech in the Temple of Music, then watching the surging crowds, then seeing the excitement around the Milburn residence as the doctors, soldiers and newspaper men rush around the yard, then watching the solemn procession of soldiers and sailors as they accompany the remains of the martyred executive to his last resting place, one cannot help feeling that Edison is indeed a wizard and that his name deserves a high place in the halls of fame on account of the work he has done in the interest of science.

The Moorish Palace is quite different from the shows of similar name which have haunted the midways of the past, with their statues of departed thugs, partially melted by the heat of the warm day. This attraction is on the order of the wonderful Galates, in which the heroine is turned from stone into a living creature and then turned back again. Large crowds of people gathered to watch the optical illusion and went away well pleased.

The Ferris wheels did a big business and many people climbed into the cars to rest and get a general view of the fair. It was one of the best ways to see the enormous amount of fun going on among the crowds.

One of the best patronized attractions on the midway was the Golden Chariots, which resemble a cross between riding the camel and a trip on an ocean liner. The gay crowd thoroughly enjoyed the chariots last night and it was hardly possible to get a seat on the crest of the wave-like vehicles. They were filled at the time with gay, laughing people, and amid showers of confetti, the gilded cars dashed around the track until a late hour last night.

Minnie, the wild girl, who is pronounced by all the local authorities as one of the queerest freaks ever seen in the city, was surrounded by a gang of people from the time the gates opened until the last stroller departed.

The Crystal Maze caused considerable merriment. Many young people entered, and it was a sight to make one forget the knockers to see some young fellow, separated from his girl, land up against the mirrors which lined the walls.

Fair Japan did a splendid business, and the work of the umbrella artist, the juggler, the tumblers and the wizard were quite good.

All the regular shows on the midway received their share of the patronage last night. The cycle whirl, which takes away the breath of the spectators, and which is really a piece of star work, was completely filled with those who wanted to see what it was that resembles suicide.

It would hardly be possible to mention the shows in all their particulars, but it is safe to say that all the proprietors are satisfied with the numbers which have thronged their doors.

The people on the streets of the show last night were the best natured crowd the city has ever seen, and there were very few cases in which any one was provoked to anger by being solicited to make a meal off of the palatable confetti.

The midway will continue to attract the people, and it seems that no one can tire of the various attractions. There were at least ten thousand people there last night, and the number will reach the same figures to-night.

The dog and monkey circus continues to grow popular, and it should, for the family of little actors are exceptionally clever. This is one of the few shows fitted up with seats and makes it very inviting.

THE FOWLER'S BIG TRIP.

The Joe Fowler brought 132 passengers to the city this morning from Evansville and way landings for Paducah.

The Smithland band came with the Smithland delegation and gave several concerts on the streets before entering the carnival grounds.

The band is a young one only one year old, and does remarkably well taking all in consideration.

METROPOLIS PEOPLE HELPING.

The Metropolis people are doing much towards making the carnival a success and this morning another big crowd was brought up for the day.

The Cowling has run excursions every day with the exception of one and has done an enormous business.

TICKET TAKERS FOR SATURDAY

Afternoon—C. B. Williamson, C. E. Graham, H. C. Bronaugh, R. C. Benner, S. R. Cassidy, Bradley Wilson, R. D. Clements, Ed Gilson, Walter Shepard, G. R. Davis, Al Forman, Si G. Bryant, M. G. Caldwell, J. E. Stephens, P. E. Stutz, C. E. Whitesides, C. J. Wilson, Dr. Williamson.

Night—F. E. Graves, Wm. Rutledge, E. R. Miller, H. C. Bronaugh, James Ray, W. G. McPadden, Luther Graham, C. B. Williamson, Gus Rogers, Si G. Bryant, J. E. Williamson, Jr., Fred Roth, W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., George Goodman, E. W. Mumford, H. A. Katterjohn, W. C. Dowd, Louis Rieke, Jr., Wm. Kraus, R. G. Caldwell.

TOMORROW AT THE CARNIVAL.

Tomorrow will be the last day of the carnival, and the indications are for another big day. There will be many people from Illinois especially, at least a thousand to be handled by the C. and E. I. They will be brought here by the Dick Fowler and John S. Hopkins.

NOTES.

The crystal maze is one show that will long be remembered by those who took it in. One can get lost notwithstanding the fact that he is being directed every minute by the keepers.

SLAVES IN LONDON BANKS.

Short Hours Are a Fiction After Clerk Is Engaged.

A correspondent writes to the London Express: "Having recently returned from India. I am struck with the white slavery that exists to-day in the banks of London. The hours—19 to 4—are used as an inducement to get young men to join certain banks in London, but in reality the hours are nearer 8:30 a. m. till 9 p. m. What does this mean to a young man living with his parents in the suburbs (for the mere pittance derived from this slavery can only keep him in railway fares, clothing and the daily midday meal)? It means that some of them have to leave their homes as early as 7 a. m. in order to reach their post in time. It also means that it is 10 p. m. or after, before they reach home, tired, overworked and with a distracting headache. Working, as they do, in a close, badly ventilated and brightly lighted office, must be injurious."

"In India, if such a thing were done—but native clerks would not stand it—the dreadful cry of slavery would be heard everywhere, and people in England would spend money and time and make every effort to bring about a remedy. Why is this not done here? We can find banks paying 15 per cent, 18 per cent and even over 20 per cent per annum dividends at the expense of the poor, underpaid white slave, the unfortunate employee slaving for a wage that would surely shame the stockholder if he thought seriously of it. I asked a bank manager a day or so ago why banks are so undermanned, and his reply was—to satisfy the stockholders."

CIGARS IN VAULTS LIKE WINE.

Cuban Tobacco Grower Says That Is Only Way to Keep Them.

Captain Charles A. Hess, who is interested in tobacco raising in Cuba and is an expert on cigars, was talking with a crowd of friends over a pousse cafe in a Broadway restaurant the other evening, when he took the cigar from his lips and said:

"Now, that was once a good cigar, but it has been ruined by the way it has been kept. You see how dry the wrapper is? Its aroma has been ruined. The only place I know of in New York where cigars are kept right is at the Waldorf-Astoria. Away down in the second cellar of the hotel, underneath everything, are vaulted rooms, the floors of which are brick, and underneath the brick is a layer of sand. These vaults are kept exactly the same. Imported and domestic cigars are not kept in the same vault, for wherever they are kept together the aroma of one permeates that of the other. Of course no one is ever allowed to carry a lighted cigar into these storerooms, and every other precaution is taken to prevent anything from injuring that delicate peculiar 'second' aroma which good cigars should have, and which they lose so easily."

"When a cigar is properly kept," he added, "it grows better with age. It ripens, becomes more fragrant—just as does old wine—but bad keeping makes the value of a cigar lessen with its age."

"I would like to be turned loose in those Waldorf cigar cellars," concluded the captain. "The value of the goods stored there ordinarily is over \$300,000."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

TIPS

Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need, "TIPS" will secure or dispose of for you.

The price for advertisements in this column is 5c a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

Good family horse for sale. E. J. Paxton at Sun office

The Sun will not receive any "Want" or "Local" advertisements except for cash with the order. We are compelled to adopt this rule from the fact that it costs us more in collector's time than we get for the advertisement. This rule will be strictly adhered to, and we trust no one will ask for credit, as we shall be compelled to refuse them.

Respectfully,
The Sun Publishing Co.

LOCAL LINES.

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I have a fine pasture, plenty of good water for stock. Prices reasonable. G. P. Husbands.

When you want a good rubber tire hack, day or night, call up 'phone 100, Terrell Bros.

The Gun club will hold no shoot today, on account of the carnival.

When you want a good, rubber tire hack, day or night, call up 'phone 100, Terrell Bros.

Tom Martin, colored, of the city, age 23, and Hattie Webb, of the city, age 23, have been licensed to wed. It will make the first marriage of both.

Motion for a new trial has been made in the case of Ira Wills against the street car company, in which judgment was rendered for \$3,500 day before yesterday.

Councilman Ed Hannon and wife are parents of a fine girl baby, born yesterday.

The fire department responded to a false alarm turned in at First and Broadway about 5:40 o'clock last evening, and the run was witnessed by the hundreds of people on the streets.

Mr. Joseph B. Flasch, the well known engineer on the Bettie Owen, has announced that he will be a candidate for city jailer in the election in 1908.

Green Gray, the old reliable barber, opposite B. Weille and Son's, on Broadway, would be pleased to see his friends before and during the carnival. He employs only the best workmen, and keeps the neatest shop in the city.

CARNIVAL TICKETS.

Are on sale at Oehlschlaeger & Walker's, Soule's, Robertson's Drug Store, McPherson's Drug Store, Sleeth's Drug Store and Farley's Drug Store. Get your tickets at these places and avoid the rush.

THE VERY LATEST BOOKS.

"Mississippi Bubble."
"The Battle Ground."
"The Fighting Bishop."
"The Leopard Spots."

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FOR IMPROVING SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education until 7:30 p. m., June 2nd, 1902, at the office of Wm. L. Brainerd, architect, for the painting of the Longfellow, Jefferson, Franklin and Lincoln school buildings; for the steam heating of the Washington and Jefferson buildings; for the plumbing of the Jefferson building, and for certain fencing and carpenter work in accordance with plans and specifications which may be seen at the office of the architect.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

B. Weille, Chairman Bldg. Com.

CONFETTI GETTING POPULAR.

One feature of the carnival that makes things go lively, and without which carnivals would all go slow, is the throwing of confetti. The first two days of the carnival the visitors and many of the citizens thought that the ordinance first passed was still in effect, and when the papers came out and announced that confetti could be thrown things began to assume a livelier appearance, and last night "everybody threw it." This is one feature that can not be done away with, and makes things go lively. No one has been injured and no complaints have been made, as the confetti is of the best quality, and is absolutely harmless.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Patterson case is still on trial at the court house and the depositions have not yet been finished.

In the case of F. G. Rudolph, administrator, against James A. Surrett, the commissioner's report of sale was filed.

Rosa Roark was granted a divorce from her husband, John M. Roark.

Court adjourned at noon for the day, and the Patterson case was reported only about one-fourth finished.

NEW POLICE UNIFORMS.

The new summer clothes for the police have come and many have donned them. They are made on the same order of the winter uniforms only of much thinner goods, with little padding.

THE MARKETS.

(Reported daily by Paducah Stock & Grain Co.)

WHEAT—	OPEN	CLOSE
July.....	75 1/2	74 1/2
September.....	73 1/2	72 1/2
CORN—		
July.....	62 1/2	61 1/2
September.....	61 1/2	60 1/2
OATS—		
July.....	34 1/2	34 1/2
September.....	33 1/2	33 1/2
PORK—		
July.....	17 3/4	17 3/4
September.....	17 1/4	17 1/4
LARD—		
July.....	10 3/4	10 3/4
September.....	10 3/4	10 3/4
RIBS—		
July.....	9 6/7	9 7/8
September.....	9 6/7	9 7/8

GO TO STUTZ'S

For everything good to eat and drink
Cream Soda.

A. S. HAWKINS, Mgr.

About People And Social Notes.

Mrs. Charles Morris of Chicago is in the city.

Bishop T. U. Dudley of Louisville is here for a few days.

Miss Belle Edwards of Bardwell is visiting Mrs. Northcutt.

Mr. Harry Long of Phoenix, Okla., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Henry Daniels of Marion is visiting Mrs. Hattie Meyers.

Mr. Earl Hogue of Tampa, Fla., is visiting Mr. W. H. Pleasants.

Mrs. John Kilgore of Bardwell is visiting Mrs. Charles Holliday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks and daughter have gone to Chicago.

Miss Ila Hart of St. Louis has arrived to visit Mrs. S. H. Winstead.

Dr. Will Winston has returned to Louisville, after visiting his parents.

Mr. Ollie P. Leigh and wife of New Orleans are visiting relatives in the city.

Miss Laura Petter of Cairo, Ill., is visiting the Misses Beyer during carnival.

Mr. Fred Hipple of Madisonville is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Davis.

Miss Ethel Palmer of Mayfield is in the city the guest of Miss Mary Karnes.

Miss Jennie Young returned to the city this morning, after a visit in Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cochran of Charleston, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hal Walters.

Miss Ida Budke of Mayfield is visiting Mrs. Henry Mammen, Jr., of South Fifth street.

Miss Lula Seamon of Princeton returned home at noon today after a visit to Miss Bertha Kettler.

Mrs. Charles Scholz and son have arrived from Evansville to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kamleiter.

Miss Lizzie Dallam of Mayfield is the guest of Miss May Davis during the remainder of the week.

Mr. Mott Ayres and wife of Fulton arrived in the city at noon today to visit during the carnival.

Miss Marie Dufot of Mayfield and Miss Stella Kilgore of Bardwell are visiting Miss Katie Holliday.

Miss Bernice Frost and Miss Ruth Edwards of Wingo are visiting Mrs. Matt Piles of North Eighth street.

Mrs. M. K. Lockridge, a member of the Women's Press Association, is visiting here from Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. Lawrence Pratt of Madisonville is in the city to join his wife, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Davis.

Mr. Frank Dudley of Princeton and Miss Fannie West of Hopkinsville are here visiting Mrs. C. W. Lewis of Tenth street.

Miss Lula Gesach of Evansville is here visiting Mrs. W. J. Asplan, wife of Agent Asplan of the Southern Express company.

Mr. J. R. Puryear and wife will return to the city this afternoon, after attending the Baptist convention at Asheville, N. C.

Mrs. V. O. Sweatman returned to the city today at noon, after a visit to Union City, where she attended the wedding of a relative.

Mr. Tom Kimbell, of Bugg, Hickman county, one of the oldest active merchants in that county, is here to take in the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baker and son of Princeton and Miss Virner McGhee of Dawson are attending the carnival and visiting their cousins, D. A. Meacham and wife.

Mrs. G. B. Whelan, who arranged the Elks flower parade, left the city this morning for Columbus, O., where she will do the same kind of decorating that she has just done in Paducah.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Miss Laura Sanders and Miss Elizabeth Sinnott will entertain with a dance at La Belle park on Monday evening.

STREET CARS DOING

BIG BUSINESS.

The street cars are doing an enormous business on all lines. Many of the visitors who wish to see the city come in the morning and ride about the city on the cars. The fares for the week will far exceed any other week the city has ever seen. Last night the park line did an excellent business up until late in the night, many going out for the cool ride.

MORE FROM MAYFIELD.

Another big delegation of Mayfield Elks arrived in the city today at noon on the first passenger.

There were 109 tickets sold out of Mayfield, and nearly half were Elks. They were met at the train by a committee and Dean's band, and taken to the city on a special street car, sent to the depot to accommodate the crowd.

GLAD TO VISIT

PADUCAH AGAIN.

Mr. Tom Piles, formerly a well known conductor on the N. C. and St. L., but now of Denison, Texas, is in the city en route to St. Louis. His wife is visiting in Harrisburg, Ill. Conductor Piles has been assisting in building a branch of the Choctaw in Oklahoma since being in Paducah.

USED INSULTING LANGUAGE.

Justice Barber fined Pat Ross \$1 and costs, the total fine amounting to over \$10, for a breach of the peace. He used abusive and insulting language towards John Whitlauf this morning while the latter was going to work at the Illinois Central shops.

MINERS' CONVENTION

ADJOURNS.

Hazleton, Pa., May 16.—The miners' convention has adjourned sine die. The delegates voted to leave the question of calling out the engineers and firemen and pumpers to the district officers.

TODAY'S ARRESTS.

Vella Fletcher, colored, was arrested this morning on Washington street for drunkenness.

Charles Bates, colored, was arrested this morning for drunkenness and locked up.

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HE PAID UP.

Harry Simms, white, was arrested by Officers Clark and Woods for drunkenness this morning near the market house. He paid his fine and was released.

THE WONDERFUL HUMAN MACHINE.

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The human body forms an example of a machine which yields a very large return of energy in comparison with what is spent upon it in the way of fuel, that is to say, food. Physiologists calculate the work done by the body in foot tons, a foot ton of work being represented by the energy required to raise one ton weight one foot high. A hard-working man in his day's labor will develop power equal to about 3,000 foot tons, this amount representing both the innate work of his frame involved in the acts of living and his external muscular labor as a hewer of wood and a drawer of water.

A man's heart, in 24 hours, shows a return equal to 120 foot tons; that is, supposing he could concentrate all the work of the organ in that period into one big lift, it would be capable of raising 120 tons' weight one foot high. The breathing muscles, in 24 hours, develop energy equal to about 21 foot tons, and when are added the actual work of the muscles and that expended in heat production 3,000 foot tons are arrived at as the approximate daily expenditure of energy.

All this power, moreover, is developed on about eight and one-third pounds of food a day, the supply including solid food, water and oxygen. No machine of man's invention approaches near to his own body, therefore, as an economical energy producer, and this for the practical reason that the human engine gets at its work directly and without loss of power entailed in other appliances that have to transmit energy through ways and means involving friction and other untoward conditions.

IN THE AWFUL GRASP OF LEPROSY

There Are 278 Cases in the Country and Only 73 Are Isolated.

What is credited with being the most loathsome disease affecting mankind—leprosy—has not a few victims in the United States, there being 278 all told. Only 72 of the afflicted ones are isolated, although the disease is contagious and deadly once it fastens itself upon a victim. The number of lepers in the country was ascertained by a national medical commission sent out for the purpose. The cases they found distributed by states as follows:

Alabama, 1; California, 24; Florida, 24; Georgia, 1; Illinois, 5; Iowa, 1; Louisiana, 155; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 2; Minnesota, 20; Mississippi, 5; Missouri, 5; Montana, 1; Nevada, 1; New York, 7; North Dakota, 16; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 1; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 3; Wisconsin, 2.

Of these 176 are males and 102 females; 145 American born, 120 foreign born, and the remainder uncertain.

The commissioners say that the foregoing figures do not represent the total number of lepers in the country, because the loathsome character of the disease causes persons affected to conceal it as long as possible. They also say that it is most frequently contracted by inhaling dust where lepers have been living.

The commission recommends the establishment of a retreat for lepers and expresses the opinion that it should be in the arid southwest or in a similar region further north, or an island in the Gulf of Mexico or the Pacific coast.

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He mentioned the matter to a friend and said he would supply the want. Whereupon his friend rejoined that he would pay for all the bandages that Kipling would take to the hospital. A wagon was loaded, and then Mr. Kipling learned that, according to the regulations, a hospital was not allowed to receive supplies from private individuals.

"Well," said the author, "I will dump the packages on the pavement before the hospital door, and then go in and tell them to come out and clear up the rubbish. Perhaps in that way they can manage to smuggle them into the building without having any red tape."

Somehow or other the goods were smuggled into the hospital.

A SEVERE COLD FOR THREE MONTHS.

The following letter from A. J. Nusbaum of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story. "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes.

J. C. GILBERT.

OWES \$15,000 AND HAS NO ASSETS.

Owensboro, Ky., May 16.—Henry C. Richards of Hopkinsville has filed a petition in bankruptcy. He was formerly a merchant, and owes \$15,210.72 to various wholesale merchants in New York, Louisville, St. Louis and elsewhere. He has no assets.

DANGERS OF PNEUMONIA.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia, which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia.

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DRUMMER MURDERED.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 16.—Moses Koller, a drummer for Shapira and Dryzer, this city, was shot from ambush and killed last night near Jalappa, Monroe county, Tenn., while driving his rig toward Madisonville. A considerable sum of money was taken from him.

COUGH SETTLED ON HER LUNGS.

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Don't Want to Learn.

Night schools established a year ago in Honolulu to teach English to Hawaiians have been abandoned because of nonattendance.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSION BULLETIN.

Louisville, Ky.—One and one-third fare for the round trip, May 2 to 24, limited to May 26, account spring races.

Springfield, Mo.—May 11 to 13, General assembly, Cumberland Presbyterian church, one fare plus \$2; good returning until May 27.

Jackson, Miss.—May 12 to 14, general assembly Southern Presbyterian church, one fare; good returning May 30.

Nashville, Tenn.—May 12 to 15, conference C. M. E. church, one fare; good returning June 2.

Hopkinsville, Ky.—May 16, Old Fiddlers' Contest, one and one-third fare; returning May 17.

Lebanon, Ky.—May 19 and 20, State Encampment G. A. R., one fare; good returning May 23.

Winston Salem, N. C.—May 20 and 21, celebration Salem Female Academy, one fare; returning May 31 with privilege of extension until June 15.

St. Paul, Minn.—May 18, 19 and 20, Baptist anniversaries, one fare good returning May 29 with privilege of extension until June 30.

Hopkinsville, Ky.—May 19, 20 and 21, Elks' carnival, one and one-third fare; returning May 25.

Louisville, Ky.—Account Elks' carnival, one fare to be sold as follows: May 18, all trains, good returning May 21; May 19 for morning trains, good returning May 21; May 24, all trains, good returning May 26, May 28 and 29, all trains; good returning May 31.

May 30, morning trains, good returning May 31.

Versailles, Ky.—May 20 to 22, Grand Commandery Knights Templars, one and one-third fare; returning May 23.

Detroit, Mich.—Jewish National Conference of charities and National Conference Charities and Corrections, one fare May 23 to 26; good returning until June 6.

Minneapolis, Minn.—June 1 to 3, Fraternal Order Eagles, one fare returning June 9, with privilege of extension until July 7.

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The Widow Bartlett.

BY EDGAR WELTON COOLEY.
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"Perhaps the most baffling job I ever undertook," said the old secret service man, "was running to earth what was known as 'the Hamilton gang.'"

"For several months the states of the middle west had been flooded with counterfeit five, ten and twenty dollar bills of a most ingenious make. So nearly perfect were they that they were considered exceedingly dangerous, and to myself and three assistants was assigned the task of capturing the gang."

"Well, we finally succeeded in tracing the counterfeiters to the village of Hamilton, in one of the states bordering on the Mississippi river. We also learned that the gang consisted of at least three men, and obtained a very accurate description of one, a partial description of another, and an exceedingly vague and unsatisfactory description of the third. However, we felt confident of their capture, having once traced them to Hamilton, but we soon found we had congratulated ourselves too soon."

"We had been in Hamilton but a few hours when we became convinced that the place was what we termed 'a pious town'—that is, that the citizens were law-abiding and honest and that if a 'mint' was operated in their midst it was probably without their knowledge, certainly without their assistance."

"When this fact became clear to us, I called upon the village constable, the only officer of which the town boasted, and questioned him closely relative to any men answering the descriptions in my possession. He was certain he had never seen any such individuals in the town, although he had heard of the counterfeiters which I mentioned—in fact, he had seen several of them. But he felt positive they were not manufactured in or near Hamilton."

"I was, of course, positive they were, and with the constable's assistance, began a most careful and systematic search for the men wanted or any clew that might enable us to locate their 'den.'"

"Three months passed without result, although I was notified that a new batch of the counterfeit bills had been 'floated.' I began to fear I had made a mistake and that the 'bogus' did not emanate from Hamilton after all. So I went carefully over my work, only to reach the same conclusion: the counterfeiters must have their headquarters in Hamilton. But who were they?"

"The town was literally flooded with bad money. In fact, it seemed to be the only currency of those demoninations in circulation in the village. I was puzzled. Either the entire population of the town was in league with the gang, or else—"

"Then an inspiration struck me. I called upon the several storekeepers in the village."

"Who is your best cash customer?" I asked.

"One and all made the same reply, without hesitation: 'Widow Bartlett.'"

"Who is the Widow Bartlett?"

"She is the wealthiest woman in the county," they said. "Her husband has been dead twenty years. He left her a big estate. She keeps here money in the bank, and resides in that big brick house on the hill. She is a recluse; no one ever visits her."

"Does she make her purchases in person or through a servant?" I asked.

"In person," they said.

"Pay with currency or checks?"

"In currency, always."

"I went to the bank."

"How much money has the Widow Bartlett on deposit here?" I asked.

"About ten thousand dollars," was the answer.

"Does she draw out much?"

"Hasn't drawn out any for several months—nearly a year."



"I called upon the village constable."

"I called in my assistants and sum-

moned the constable.

"I have a clew," I said. "The party who floats this bad money is the Widow Bartlett."

"The constable was astonished. 'Impossible,' he said."

"Nevertheless," said I, "we will raid her house to-night."

"About 10 o'clock we surrounded the two-story residence of the widow. The house was dark; there was no sound within. I rang the bell vigorously several times, but there was no response."

"She must be away from home," I remarked to the constable.

"She never goes away from home," he answered.

"So I forced in the door and the constable and I entered with dark lanterns. The house was elegantly furnished, but we found no signs of a living occupant. Dust covered every-

"She is out," I said. "We will conceal ourselves in the bushes and watch."

"So we hid ourselves in the yard and waited. Just at day-break an aged woman walked up the path from the street and entered the dwelling."

"That's her," whispered the constable.

"I waited a few minutes through courtesy. Then I rang the bell, but there was no response. I opened the door and entered, but Widow Bartlett was not in. I searched every room and closet; I visited the cellar and the attic, but I found no living being. The house was carefully guarded and no one could have left the place unobserved. Here was a puzzle. I called the constable."

"Didn't you see a woman enter this house a few moments ago?" I asked.

"Yes," he replied.

"Well, where is she now?" I demanded.

"He searched the house from cellar to garret and I followed him. 'I give it up,' he said. 'I would have sworn'



"I lifted a gray wig from her head."

I saw Widow Bartlett come in just now."

"She is in here, then," I said, "and I'm going to find her."

"From my pocket I took a two-foot rule and measured the width of the rooms on the ground floor. It was just fifty feet from one outer wall to the other. Then I measured the second floor in the same manner. It was only forty-two feet."

"There is a hidden room in this house," I said, "eight feet wide."

"On the north side of the house was a large old-fashioned chimney, extending below the ground."

"Let's take a look at that chimney," said the constable.

"Good idea," said I.

"So we went to the cellar. Set in the chimney, near its base, was a large ash pan. I pulled it out and found an opening large enough for a man to crawl through. Inside the chimney was a ladder extending upward."

"It's all over," said I to the constable. "Call the boys."

"When the others arrived, I started up the ladder, followed by one of my assistants and the constable. On the second floor I found a door on the south side of the chimney. Drawing my gun I kicked the door open and sprang through it into a small room."

"I landed in the midst of three persons who were eating breakfast. Two were men who exactly answered the descriptions of those I wanted. The other was the Widow Bartlett, as I believed. Scattered about were plates, paper and paraphernalia."

"We had the cuffs on them in short order. Then the 'Widow Bartlett' let out a volley of oaths."

"My dear widow," said I, "pardon me." And I lifted a gray wig from her head, revealing the black hair of a man underneath.

"Well," resumed the old secret service man, reflectively, "I captured the plates and a large quantity of bad money, but the 'Hamilton gang' were never tried for counterfeiting. The villagers found the remains of the real Widow Bartlett buried in the cellar, and they hung my prisoners that night."

He (boldly)—Do you think two can live as cheaply as one? She (blushing)—Yes; I do. "Let's become one, then."—Yonkers Statesman.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Corrected to April 13, 1902.

Twinsboro	12:35am	6:00pm	2:25pm
Central City	12:01am	1:05am	3:25pm
Nortonville	12:48pm	1:40am	4:02pm
Evansville	8:30am	4:00pm	8:30pm
Hopkinsville	11:30am		3:35pm
Princeton	1:55pm	2:36am	4:47pm
Paducah	3:35pm	3:37am	6:00pm
Paducah	3:40pm	3:42am	6:05pm
Fulton	6:00pm	4:45am	7:10pm
Paducah Jet		5:31am	
Calro	9:25pm	12:15pm	9:25pm
Rives		5:23pm	
Memphis		8:30pm	10:40pm
N. Orleans		7:40pm	9:35am

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GOV. BECKHAM HERE

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afraid!"

The episode created no end of amusement among the others in the party.

This evening Governor Beckham and his party will be guests of Manager J. E. English, of the "Kentucky," and will have one of the boxes. They will go to the carnival ground after supper at the park, and reach the theater at 9:30 o'clock. All the members of the party, as well as a number of prominent citizens, will be with the crowd, and the prospects are for a large crowd at the theatre.

The reception at El's headquarters this morning was a great success. Thousands, no doubt, got in line and passed in to shake hands with him. They found him a most courteous, modest young man, and he was very much pleased at the number of people who called to see him.

Among the ladies who were there to assist in receiving were: Mesdames Wm. Krause, C. E. Whitesides, George C. Wallace, Tom Moss, James Weille, James Miller, Chloe Wilson, John Keller, O. L. Gregory, Ed Farley, Ida Elliott, John Sinnott, Wm. Fisher, W. F. Bradshaw, L. A. Lagomarsino, Jeff Reed, Campbell Flournoy, Miss Anne Boswell and maids, Miss James of Evansville, Ind.; Miss Allison of Henderson; Miss Farmer, of Fulton; Miss Crambaugh, Miss Sinnott, Miss Geraldine Sanders, Miss Hattie Terrell and Miss Griffith.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the governor's parade took place, forming at Fifth and Jefferson, and marching to Fifth and Court, thence to First on Court, thence to Broadway, and out to Seventh, thence to the carnival grounds.

The procession was quite attractive, being led by the Knights of Hacadap, the police force, at the head of which was Marshal Crow, and Captain Bailey and Lieut. Moore, then the carriage containing Governor Beckham and Mayor Yeiser. The governor's party and reception committee in carriages followed, brought up by the queen, Miss Anna Boswell, and her maids of honor, on the queen's float, and by several of the vehicles that were in the flower parade, including those of Miss Laura Saunders, Mrs. T. A. Lyle, Mrs. Black, Mr. J. J. Read, Mrs. C. E. Whitesides, and others. The Smithland band was in the rear followed by the band of Prof. Geer, of Mechanicsburg.

The parade was witnessed by thousands of people, who lined the sidewalks for many blocks. At the carnival grounds the governor's party was taken in charge and escorted about the grounds.

At 6:30 o'clock a special car will take the governor and his party and invited guests to the La Belle park cafe, where supper will be served. The grounds will be inspected with a view to having the state guard encampment there, and after supper the crowd will return to the city and be at the Kentucky after 9:30 o'clock.

The guests besides the governor and party invited to the supper this evening are: Mayor D. A. Yeiser, Hon. Charles Reed, Messrs. Ed P. Noble, Wm. Kraus, R. G. Caldwell, James E. Robertson, Urey Woodson, W. F. Paxton, George C. Thompson, Joseph L. Friedman and W. W. Powell. A special car will return from the park at 8:30 p. m.

COUNTY TEACHERS

Supt. Ragsdale is Today Holding
Examinations.

About a Dozen Applicants Being Examined
for Teacher's Certificates.

Today Prof. Ragsdale is holding examinations for county teachers' certificates and the examinations will probably not be finished before tomorrow.

The following is a list of those being examined: E. L. Simmons, Mamie Bell, Ruby Miles, Iviah Ragsdale, of Lone Oak; Carrie Stevens, Woodville; Mary Davis, city; Essie Cooley, Metropolis; Paul Graham, Mary Harper, Irene Bumpous, Fannie Wilson, Keener Rudolph, and Ida Pierce, of Massac; Landon Reed, Ballance; Mamie Tomlinson, Woodville.

A lively interest is being taken and the outlook for teachers is good.

SAFE BLOWN.

ROBBERS CALLED AT THE
GRAND RIVERS FURNACE
COMPANY.

The safe of the Iron Furnace company at Grand Rivers was blown open Wednesday night, but nothing was secured.

There was only \$20 in the safe when it was "shot," but the robbers did not get away with it, as they were scared away by the approach of the watchman. There was no clue to the identity of the culprits.

POLICE COURT.

Tom Farless, white, was fined \$3 and costs for being drunk.

Ed Jones, white, was fined \$5 and costs for being drunk and disorderly.

J. Price, white, who fought at Tenth and Court streets last night, was arraigned for a breach of the peace and the case continued.

The breach of the peace case against Ed Griffin, white, was continued.

William O'Brien, white, was fined \$5 and costs for being drunk and disorderly.

Frank Eich's case for a breach of the peace, was continued until Monday.

THE CONDITION OF COLORED PEOPLE.

Washington, May 16.—The house committee on labor has reported favorably on the Irwin bill providing for a commission to inquire into the industrial condition of the colored people of the United States.

DEEDS.

Mrs. Sarah A. Karr deeds to N. T. Hale, for \$300, her interest in property at 1013 South Third street.

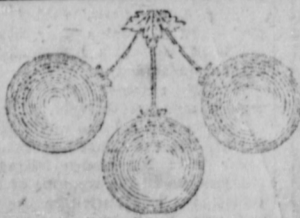
S. B. Caldwell and others deed to H. A. Rose, for \$250, property near Fifth and Elizabeth streets.

A DEATH AT GETHSEMANE.

Bardstown, Ky., May 16.—Brother Amandus, aged about 55, died at the Trappist Monastery at Gethsemane today. He was quite an important personage, being servitor to the abbot.

POSTMASTER AT JACKSON.

Jackson, Ky., May 16.—Mr. D. D. Hurst will succeed J. Porter Crain as postmaster here. Mr. Hurst has already received his appointment and will take charge June 1.



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